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# GHOST RIDER







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# THE GHOST RIDER

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THERE WAS NO WEAPON TOO HORRIBLE FOR THE EVIL GENIUS WHO PREYED ON WORK GANGS / FLOODS, AVALANCHES, MAN-EATING ANTS... HE USED THEM ALL... BUT FOR **THE GHOST RIDER**, HE RESERVED THAT BRUTAL TORTURE KNOWN AS DEATH BY HORSES...! AND THEN, LATER, AFTER EVERYONE ELSE HAD FLED IN HORROR, HE STAYED BEHIND TO WREAK MORE EVIL... EVEN AFTER THE APPEARANCE OF.....

The  
**GHOST ANTS**  
of  
**San Pedro!**

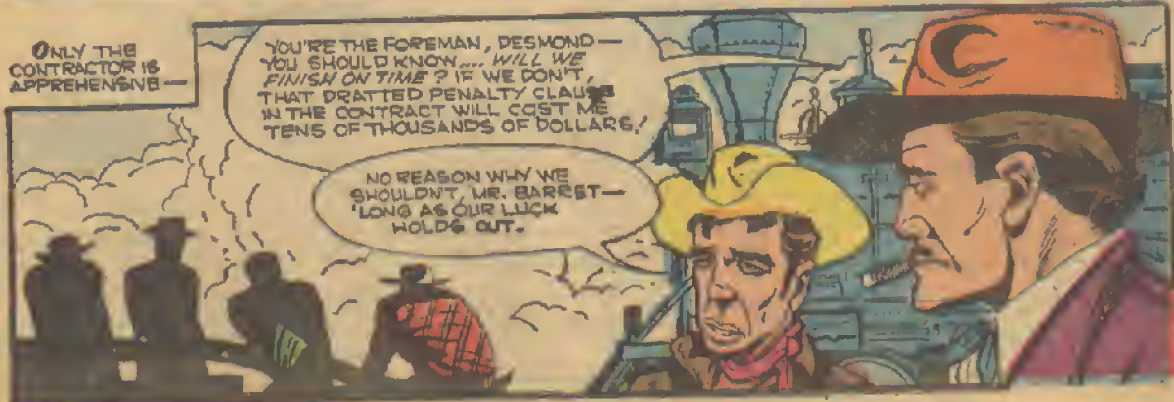


NEW MEXICO... AFTER THE WAR BETWEEN THE STATES... A WORK GANG IS BUILDING A RAILROAD... THE SUN SHINES DOWN ON MEN SWINGING THEIR HAMMERS AND CHANTING LUSTY SONGS... AND AS THE MEN WORK, DEATH CREEPS STEALTHILY FORWARD....

ONLY THE CONTRACTOR IS APPREHENSIVE—

YOU'RE THE FOREMAN, DESMOND— YOU SHOULD KNOW... WILL WE FINISH ON TIME? IF WE DON'T, THAT DRASTIC PENALTY CLAUSE IN THE CONTRACT WILL COST ME TENS OF THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS!

NO REASON WHY WE SHOULDN'T, MR. BARRETT— LONG AS OUR LUCK HOLDS OUT.





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BUT DEATH CREEPS CLOSER...  
AND THE WORK GANG'S LUCK  
DOES NOT HOLD OUT, THAT  
VERY AFTERNOON —



AND THE NEXT NIGHT, IN THE  
WORK GANG'S BARRACK —



AND,  
TWO  
DAYS  
LATER —



BUT MR. BARRETT, THE  
CONTRACTOR, DOESN'T  
BELIEVE IN JINKS, HE  
CALLS IN FEDERAL  
MARSHAL GARRITY —



JUST LOOK AT  
THIS LETTER I  
GOT — IT'S JUST  
AS I'M SAYIN' —  
IT'S AN EXTORTION,  
RACKET RACKET,  
THIS LETTER SAYS  
THE ACCIDENTS WILL  
STOP IF I HAND  
OVER \$20,000.  
WELL, MARSHAL...  
WHAT ARE YOU  
GOING TO DO  
ABOUT IT?

LET'S  
SEE  
THE  
LETTER.



BUT BEFORE THE MARSHAL  
CAN READ A WORD —





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FOR TWO DAYS, THE MARSHAL HOVERS BETWEEN LIFE AND DEATH. THE SHOOTING HAS BEEN REPORTED— AND NOW A SECOND MARSHAL, **REX FURY**, LEANS OVER THE DEAD BED...

TRY NOT TO TALK, HANK — THE DOCTOR SAYS YOU SHOULD SAVE YOUR STRENGTH.

I'M A GONER, REX — P-PROMISE ME YOU'LL GET THE RAT THAT SHOT ME... AAAARSH...

HE'S DEAD... WHAT'RE WE GOING TO DO NOW, MARSHAL?

GET THE MONEY READY JUST LIKE THE LETTER ORDERED. HAND IT OVER TONIGHT...

SO, THAT NIGHT, AT THE APPOINTED SPOT IN A LONELY BOX CANYON —

HERE'S THE MONEY!

IT BETTER ALL BE THERE...

THE RIDER SPURS HIS MOUNT AND LEAVES... GLOATING, THE ONLYHOOT TURNS — BUT SUDDENLY HE IS TRANSFIXED WITH HORROR —

NO — NOT YOU! STAY BACK! STAY BACK!

AS REX FURY, I ORDERED PAYMENT IN ORDER TO BRING THE VILLAINS OUT INTO THE OPEN....

YOU HAVE YOUR CHOICE — ANSWER THE QUESTION I PUT TO YOU, OR RETURN WITH ME TO THE LAND OF THE LIVING-DEAD!

WHO IS YOUR LEADER?

EAGER TO AVENGE THE DEAD MARSHAL, THE GHOST RIDER PARTS FORWARD, BUT —

L-LESSO — I'LL TELL YUH... NED DESMOND, THUH FOREMAN — HE'S THUH MAN WHO'S BEEN GIVIN' THUH ORDERS!

AND HERE I AM, GHOST RIDER — UNARMED! WANT TO TRY TO CATCH ME...?

A TRAP!

HEH-HEH-HEH — NEAT LITTLE PIT, ISN'T IT? AND YOU HAVE MY WORD, GHOST RIDER — YOU'LL NEVER GET OUT AGAIN...

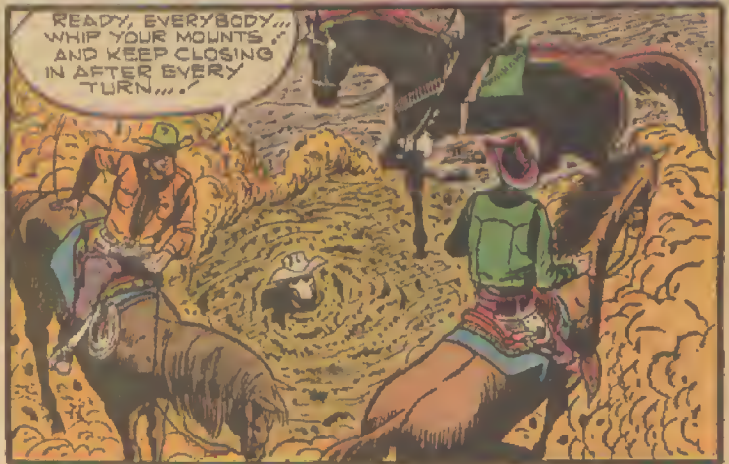


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COME OUT FROM YOUR HIDING PLACES, MEN— AND WHEN YOU FILL THE PIT WITH EARTH, PACK IT TIGHT... THAT BEAR TRAP HURTING YOUR FOOT MUCH, GHOST RIDER? HEH-HEH-HEH... HAVE YOU HEARD OF DEATH BY HORSES, GHOST RIDER? MY MEN AND I WILL MOUNT-UP, THEN RIDE AROUND YOU IN EVER-DECREASING CIRCLES TILL AT LAST OUR HORSES' HOOF TRAMPLE YOUR BLASTED SKULL TO PIECES....



EVEN THOUGH THE GHOST RIDER IS HELPLESS, THE VILLAINS TREMBLE AT HIS PROXIMITY, WORKING WITH FRANTIC SPEED, THEY FILL THE DEATH-PIT... FINISHED NOW, THEY MOUNT-UP—



READY, EVERYBODY... WHIP YOUR MOUNTS... AND KEEP CLOSING IN AFTER EVERY TURN....

FASTER AND FASTER... CLOSER AND CLOSER... GALLOP THE HORSES OF DEATH...



WHEN THE FIRST HOOF CLEAVES THE GHOST RIDER'S HAT, A HORRENDOUS GROAN RENOS THE NIGHT AIR— AND THEN A SECOND HOOF GLASHES DOWN, A THIRD, A FOURTH....



THIS NIGHT WILL GO DOWN IN HISTORY... WE NOT ONLY GOT THE MONEY— WE ALSO KILLED THE GHOST RIDER! NOW EVERYBODY RIDE HIS SEPERATE WAY, WE'LL MEET TOMORROW TO SPLIT THE LOOT....



BUT SPLITTING THE LOOT DIDN'T FIT INTO DESMOND'S PLANS... INSTEAD, WITH ALL THE UNSHARED LOOT IN HIS MONEY-BELT, HE BOARDS AN OCEAN GOING STEAMER....



SOUTH AMERICA— HERE I COME, AND I'M NOT BETTLING DOWN UNTIL I GET ANOTHER FOREMAN JOB....

AND MONTHS LATER, IN SAN PEDRO, BRAZIL, DEATH STEALTHILY CREEPS TOWARD A NATIVE WORK GANG BUILDING A RAILROAD BRIDGE....



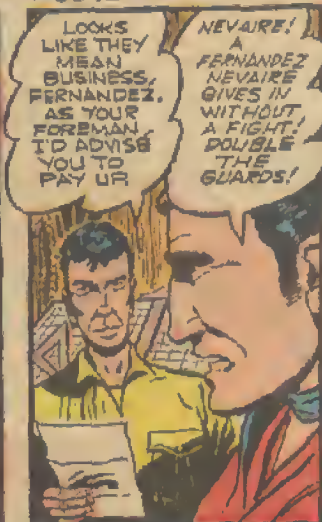


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ON THIS JOB TOO THERE IS A CONTRACT WITH A PENALTY CLAUSE — AND THIS IS THE FIRST OF A SERIES OF FATAL ACCIDENTS ...



AND THEN FOLLOWS THE EXTORTION LETTER DELIVERED BY A FAMILIAR FIGURE —



LOOKS LIKE THEY MEAN BUSINESS, FERNANDEZ. AS YOUR FOREMAN, I'D ADVISE YOU TO PAY UP

NEVAIRE! A FERNANDEZ NEVAIRE GIVES IN WITHOUT A FIGHT! DOUBLE THE GUARDS!

THAT NIGHT, BACK AT HIS NEW GANG'S HEADQUARTERS, DESMOND PLOTS TO BRING PROUD SENOR FERNANDEZ TO KNEE —



AND ONCE THOSE MAN-EATERS COME OUT OF THE JUNGLE, THE BRIDGE WORKERS WILL RUN FOR THEIR LIVES.

YOU ARE A GENIUS! THESE TRICK WHEEL HOLD UP WORK ON THE BRIDGE FOR A WEEK...



ONCE I LAY MY HANDS ON THE MONEY, I'LL DOUBLE-CROSS THIS GANG JUST THE WAY I

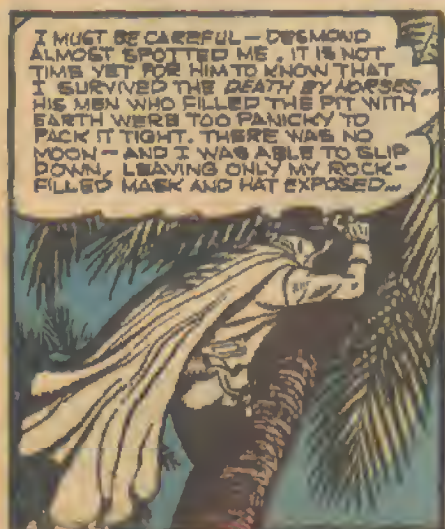
WHAT'S THAT MOVING UP IN THE TREE?



SENOR, WHAT'S THE MATTER? YOU ARE SHAKING, YOU LOOK SO PALE ...

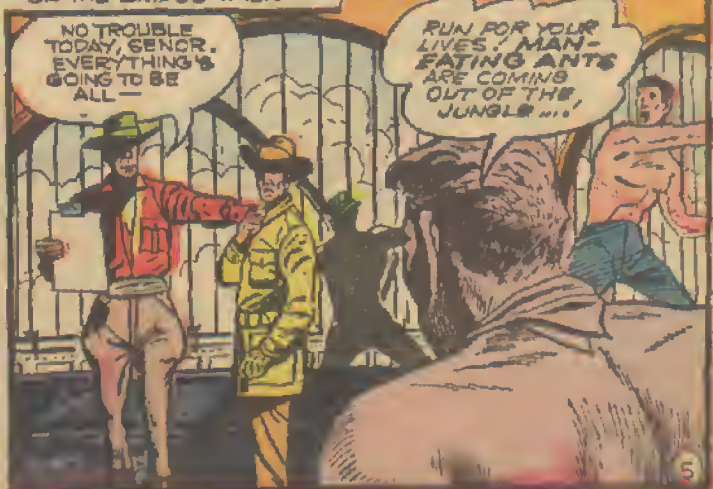
MUST'VE BEEN AN ATTACK ON NERVES. FOR A SECOND I THOUGHT I SAW THE GHOST RIDER.

NOTHING. I'M ALL RIGHT...



I MUST BE CAREFUL — DESMOND ALMOST SPOTTED ME. IT IS NOT TIME YET FOR HIM TO KNOW THAT I SURVIVED THE DEATH BY HORSES. HIS MEN WHO FILLED THE PIT WITH EARTH WERE TOO PANICKY TO PACK IT TIGHT. THERE WAS NO MOON — AND I WAS ABLE TO SLIP DOWN, LEAVING ONLY MY ROCK-FILLED MASK AND HAT EXPOSED...

THE NEXT DAY, FERNANDEZ IS INSPECTING THE WORK ON THE BRIDGE WHEN —

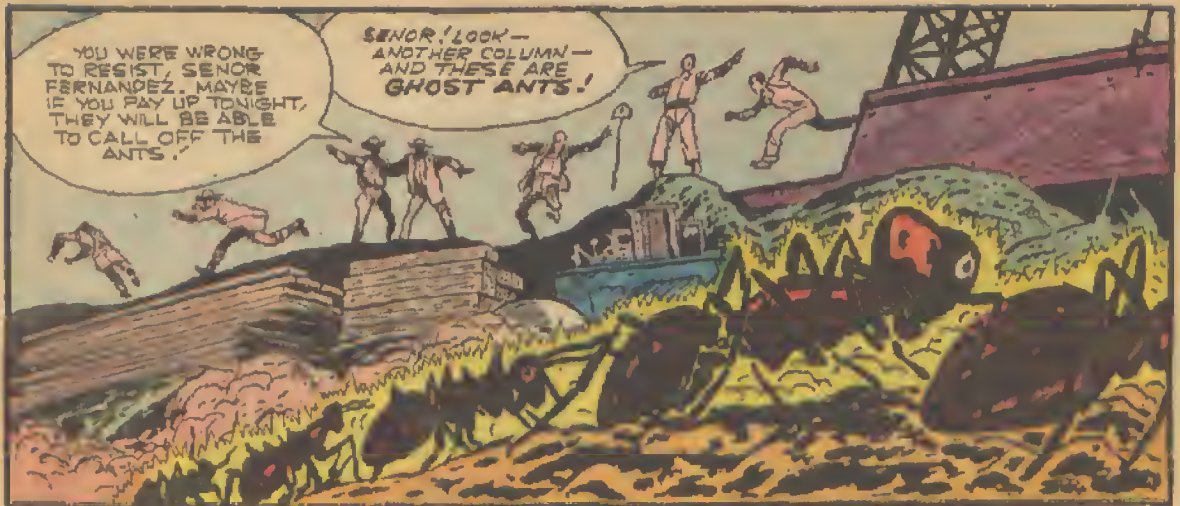


NO TROUBLE TODAY, SENOR. EVERYTHING'S GOING TO BE ALL —

RUN FOR YOUR LIVES! MAN-EATING ANTS ARE COMING OUT OF THE JUNGLE ...!



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EVERYONE STANDS ROOTED IN HORROR AND DISBELIEF —



THE COLUMNS OF ANTS MEET, CLASH AND BATTLE FURIOUSLY —



THE VILLAINS LAID DOWN A PATH OF HONEY TO LURE THE ANTS OUT OF THE JUNGLE. I OVERHEARD THEIR PLANS, AND LAID A SECOND PATH... ONLY MINE WAS MIXED WITH LUMINESCENT PAINT! AND NOW THE TWO COLUMNS, STARTLED BY THE SUDDEN COLLISION AND THE EERIE GLOW, ARE DEVOURING EACH OTHER...



THE GHOST ANTS HAVE COME TO OUR RESCUE, AND THE WORKERS HAVE RETURNED. DESMOND, WHERE ARE YOU?

HE IS OUT THERE ON THE BRIDGE, SENOR. BUT WHAT IS THAT HE IS DOING?

NO... IT CANNOT BE...



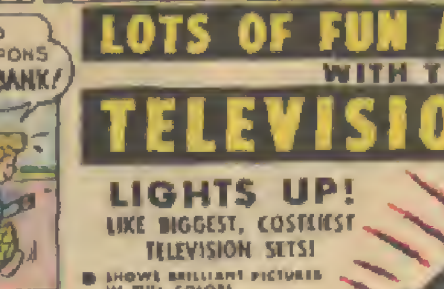
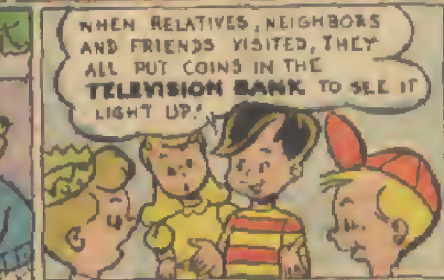
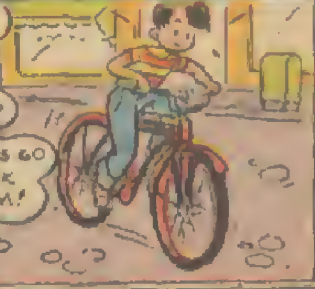
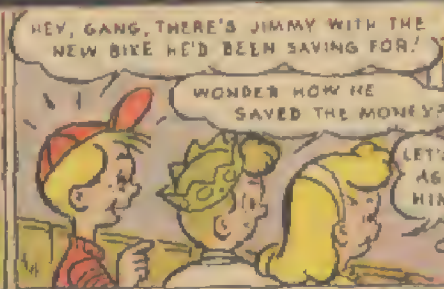


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# HOW JIMMY GOT HIS NEW BIKE!



## BIGGEST ATTRACTION EVER!

Everyone will want to see this amazing new Television Bank. Your friends, relatives, and neighbors can't resist putting in coins to see this sensational show!

**LIGHTS UP THE INSTANT YOU DROP COINS!** Just insert a penny, nickel, dime or quarter into the slot on top. In a split second your spectacular Television Bank lights up—in a big, BIG way! The screen leaps into dazzling life with the brightest, clearest, pictures yet!

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## PUTS YOU "IN THE MONEY"—AND FAST!

Your savings pile up PLENTY FAST with this marvelous new Television Bank! Everyone wants to see all the pictures—your savings grow and grow by leaps and bounds!

**IT'S A MONEY IN EVERY DETAIL!** This sensational Television Bank is an exact miniature of the most expensive console models. Rich-looking mahogany finish with four simulated dials and speaker grille. 4½" x 4" and ruggedly constructed. Will give you years of fun and big savings!

## LOTS OF FUN AND MONEY! WITH THIS TELEVISION BANK

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- SHOWS BRILLIANT PICTURES IN FULL COLOR!
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- THRILLS YOU AND YOUR FRIENDS POP-TRICK!
- AND... MAKES YOUR SAVINGS MOUNT UP FAST!

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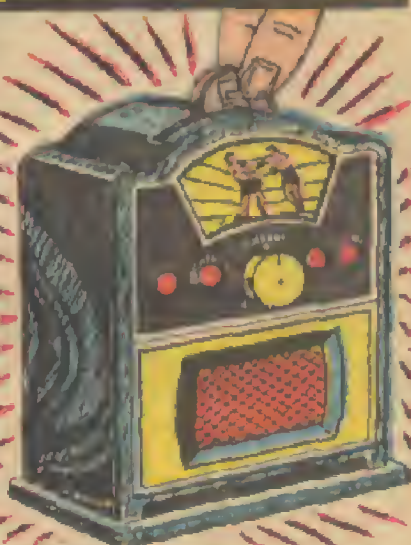
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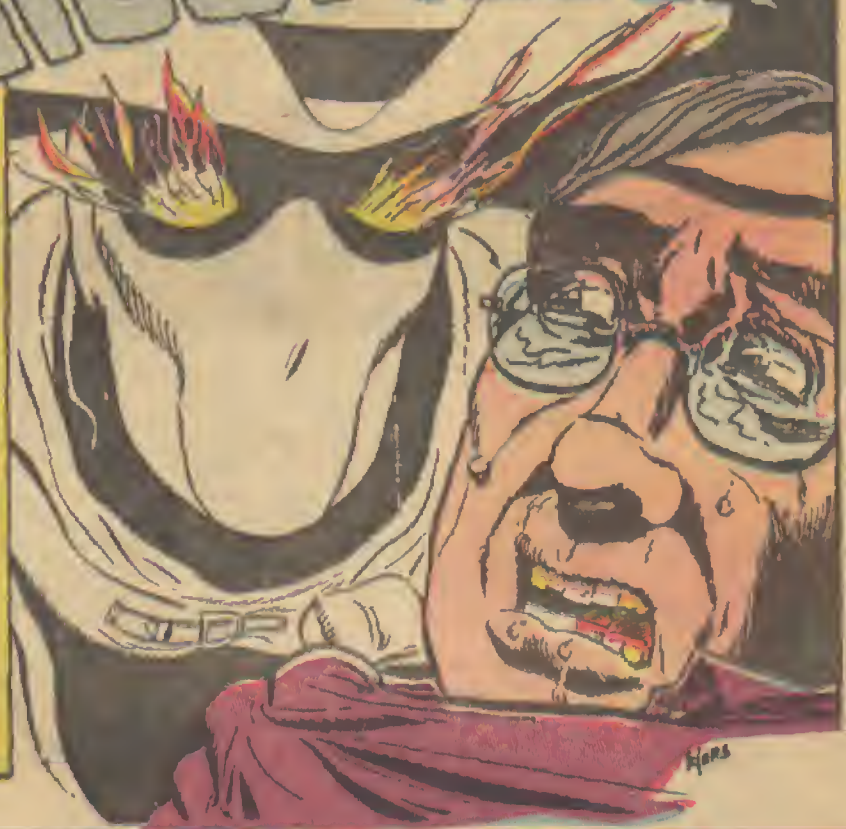


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EYES THAT BURN A  
FLAMING CHALLENGE  
OF GUILT —  
FINGERS THAT POINT  
TO MURDER —  
THESE ARE TOOLS FOR  
THE GHOST RIDER  
WHEN HE MAKES HIS...

"PLAY  
OF  
DEATH!"



DEAD OF NIGHT. BEHIND THE BANK...



WHAT WAS THAT?  
AH, SIMMS, THE BANK  
GUARD — HE DIDN'T  
SEE ME. AS SOON AS  
HE GETS AROUND  
THAT CORNER...

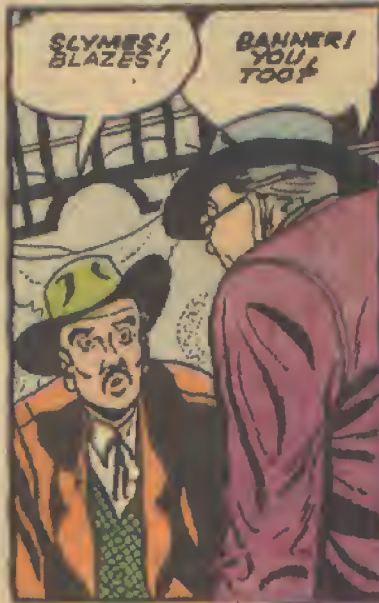


HERE GOES, I GUESS  
THEY NEVER KNEW HOW  
I'D USE IT WHEN THEY  
LET ME, GLYMES, THE  
BANK-TELLER, HAVE  
THIS KEY. BUT I'VE  
GOT TO GET THAT MONEY...  
PAY MY GAMBLING  
DEBTS...

RANCHER'S  
NATIONAL  
BANK



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A FEW MOMENTS LATER...

I DON'T LIKE THIS, SING-SONG! I'M NOT SURE YOUNG ALLISON IS GUILTY.

MAY I POINT OUT HONORABLE REX RURY THAT SOME MONEY WAS TAKEN FROM THAT SAFE — BUT IT WAS NOT FOUND ON ALLISON?

THAT'S WHAT I'VE BEEN THINKING. IF THERE WAS ANOTHER MAN HELPING ALLISON, HE'D NEVER HAVE GOT AWAY THROUGH THAT FRONT DOOR — AND THE BACK DOOR WAS LOCKED!

MY HUNCH IS THAT IT WAS AN INSIDE JOB. WHOEVER DID IT HAD A KEY TO THE BACK DOOR AND KNEW THE COMBINATION OF THAT SAFE. THAT COULD BE BANNER OR SLYMES... HIMMMN...

I HAPPEN TO KNOW THAT SLYMES OWES MUCH MONEY TO THE GAMBLING HALL.

SING SONG'S HAND LALNORY

COME ON, BOYS — A LYNCHIN' PARTY FER ALLISON! LET'S GO!

AS THE WISE MEN SAY — "SPEED IS OF THE ESSENCE!"

OBSERVE, REX!

WE'VE GOT TO DO SOMETHING BEFORE THEY LYNCH ALLISON!

I UNDERSTAND — WELL, YOUR GHOST RIDER COSTUME IS ALL READY...!

AND THERE'S ONLY ONE WAY FOR FAST ACTION!

I'LL NEED SOME SPECIAL EFFECTS, SING-SONG. GIVE ME THOSE REFLECTOR GLASSES WE INVENTED.

RIGHT HERE, REX. LIKE SPECTACLES — EXCEPT THEY ARE MIRRORS — WITH SLITS TO SEE THROUGH.

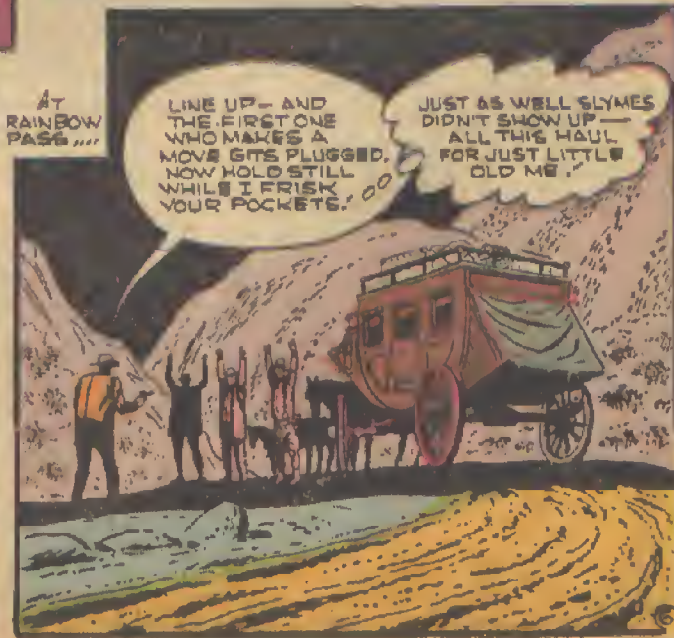
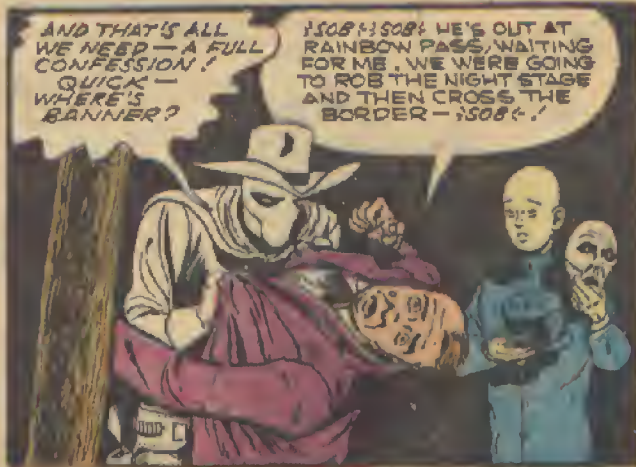
I'LL PUT THEM ON UNDER MY HOOD... NOW, LISTEN CLOSELY, FOR I'LL NEED YOUR HELP...





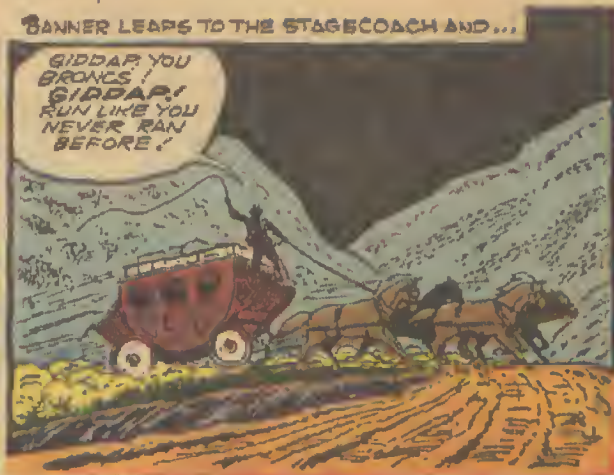


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THERE'S AN AWFUL LOT OF EVOLUTION BETWEEN THE PRE-HISTORIC GIANT LIZARDS AND THE MODERN-DAY LOAN SHARKS, BUT THE GHOST RIDER FINDS THEM PRETTY CLOSE TOGETHER IN...

## " THE HORROR OF DEAD MAN'S CAVE! "

AT A SMALL RANCHHOUSE SOME MILES OUT OF TOWN...



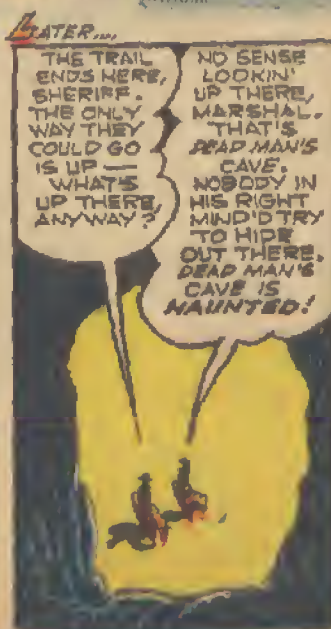
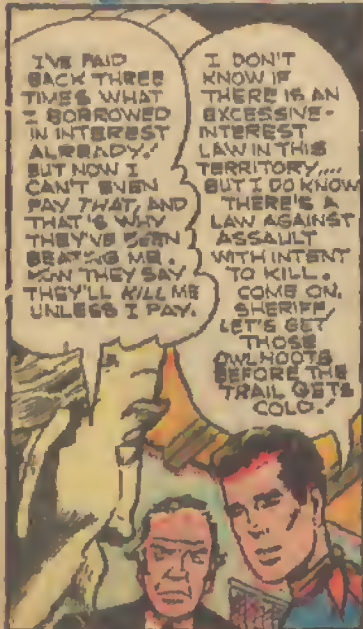
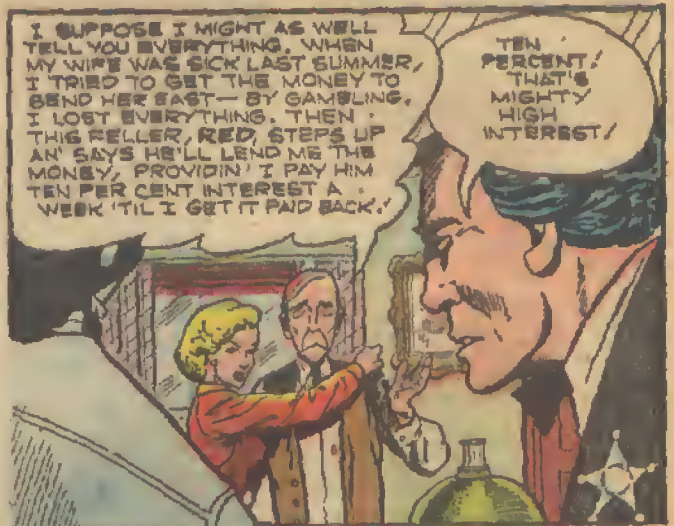
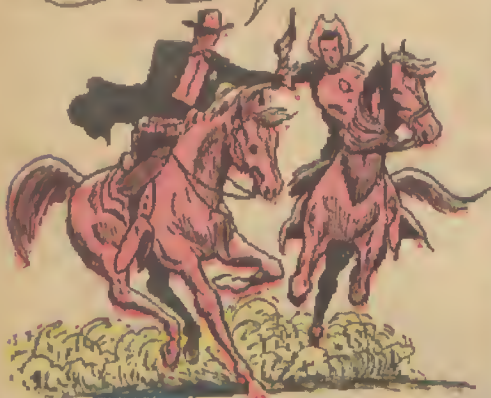


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BEFORE LONG, THE RANCHER'S DAUGHTER RETURNS WITH THE SHERIFF AND REX FURY, THE FEDERAL MARSHAL...



HOLD IT, MARSHAL! WE BETTER SEE IF N THE OLD MAN IS ALL RIGHT FIRST, AND FIND OUT WHAT THIS IS ALL ABOUT.





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"HE CLEANED THE POCKET WORKIN' DAY AND NIGHT AND COME OUT O' THAT CAVE A RICH MAN. BUT HE DIDN'T GET VERY FAR, FOR..."



"THE CLAIM-JUMPERS COME DOWN OFF THE CREST TO GET THE GOLD, BUT..."



"THE NEXT DAY THEY FOUND THE BODIES, ALL THREE O' THEM. THE CLAIM-JUMPERS WITH THEIR BRAINS BASHED IN BY THE FEET O' THE MULE. THE GOLD WAS GONE, BUT ONE O' THE CLAIM-JUMPERS LIVED LONG ENOUGH TO TELL US THE STORY..."





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MARSHAL!  
LOOK!



RICOCHETS?  
HOW CAN BULLETS  
AT THAT DISTANCE?  
THEY CAN'T...!

HEE HEE  
HEE HEE!  
DO YOU  
FANCY MY  
PETS?

GENTLEMEN  
PERHAPS IF YOU  
DON'T, YOU'LL  
LEAVE, OR SHOULD  
I LET THEM COME  
CLOSER SO YOU  
CAN HAVE A  
BETTER LOOK?

BLAM!

BLAM!



I'VE NEVER SEEN  
A SKELETON YET WHO  
COULD TALK!  
MAYBE IT'S YOU  
I'D BETTER TAKE A  
CLOSER LOOK AT.

HAHAHAHAHAHA



QUICKSAND! I'VE  
GOT TO GET OUT OF  
HERE! IN A MINUTE  
IT'LL BE ALL OVER  
ME! AND THAT SMELL!  
IT'S MURDER'S DAMP,  
POISON GAS, THE  
MOST DEADLY POISON  
GAS KNOWN...



JUST A LITTLE  
FURTHER! IF  
I CAN GET... JUST...  
A LITTLE FURTHER...  
I'LL... BE... A...  
... OHNNNNNN...



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WH...  
WHERE  
AM I?

YOU WERE JUST  
ABOUT TO GO  
DOWN IN THE  
QUICKSAND  
WHEN I PULLED  
YOU OUT. YOU  
MUST'VE COLLAPSED  
FROM THAT MINER'S  
DAMP. I GOT YOU  
OUT IN THE FRESH  
AIR AS FAST AS  
I COULD.

**WHEW!**  
THAT WAS  
A CLOSE  
ONE. I  
GUESS  
YOU'RE  
RIGHT,  
SHERIFF.  
NO OUTLAW  
WOULD BE  
FOOLISH  
ENOUGH TO  
PICK A PLACE  
LIKE THAT  
FOR A  
HIDEOUT.  
WE'D BETTER  
SPLIT UP AND  
LOOK FOR  
THEM  
ELSEWHERE.

YOU TAKE  
THE TRAIL  
OUT O'  
HERE AN'  
I'LL TAKE  
THE ONE  
LEADIN'  
TO TOWN.  
YOU  
CAN  
LEAVE A  
MESSAGE  
AT MY  
OFFICE  
IF YOU  
FIND ANY-  
THING.



THAT NIGHT, IN DEAD MAN'S CAVE,  
A JUBILANT CEREMONY IS BEING  
PERFORMED.....



AND NOW,  
MY FRIENDS,  
IT IS TIME TO  
DISCUSS THE  
PROCEDURE  
OF THE  
MORROW'S  
BUSINESS.

**HAW HAW**  
**HAW!**  
CUT IT, RED -  
YOU'RE  
KILLIN'  
ME.



MAN, DID YOU  
SEE THE LOOK  
ON THAT MARSHAL'S  
FACE WHEN HE  
SMELT THAT MINER'S  
DAMP? I THOUGHT  
HE'D DIE!

**SO**  
**DID HE!**  
WHUT WUZ  
THE IDEE  
O' LETTIN'  
HIM GIT  
AWAY,  
RED?

YOU  
FOOLS!  
THAT WAS  
PART OF  
THE PLAN.  
A DEAD  
MARSHAL  
MEANS  
**TROUBLE!**  
A LIVE, SCARED  
ONE MAKES  
THINGS MUCH  
EASIER.  
WE'RE SAFER  
THAN WE EVER  
WERE NOW!

SAFE  
FROM  
THE  
LIVING,  
PERHAPS,  
BUT  
ONE IS  
NEVER  
SAFE  
FROM  
THOSE  
OF THE  
WORLD  
OF THE  
DEAD,  
EVIL  
ONES!



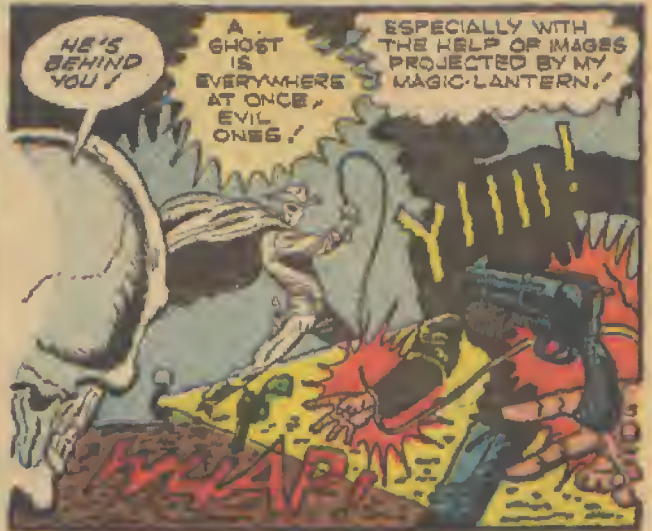
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WAS  
THAT?

IT'S...  
IT'S...

**THE  
GHOST  
RIDER!**



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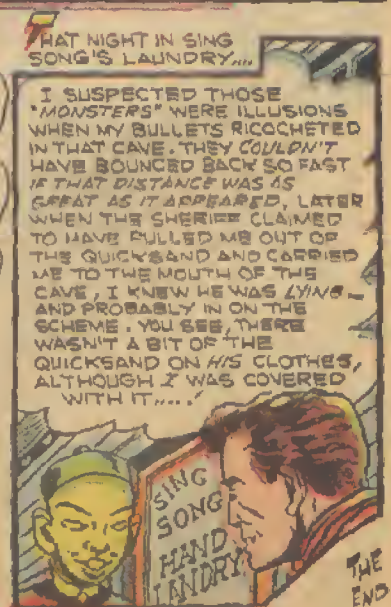
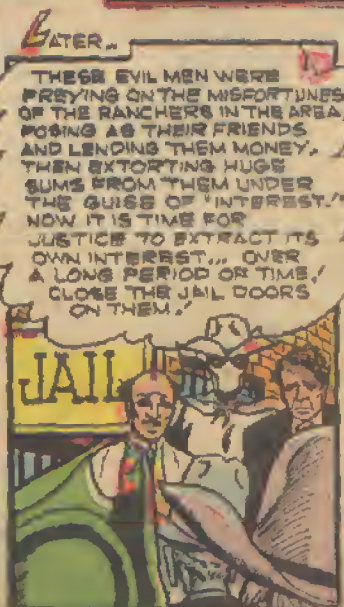
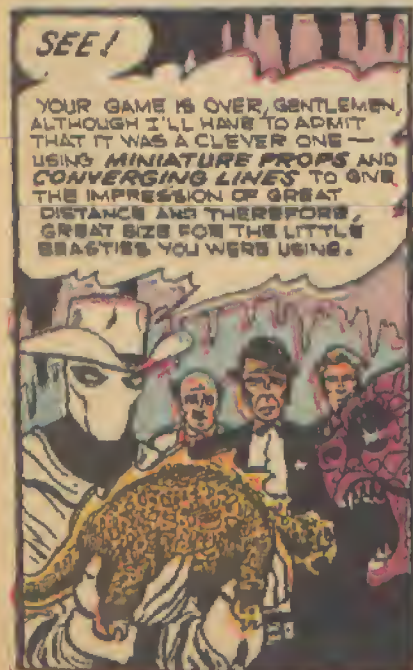
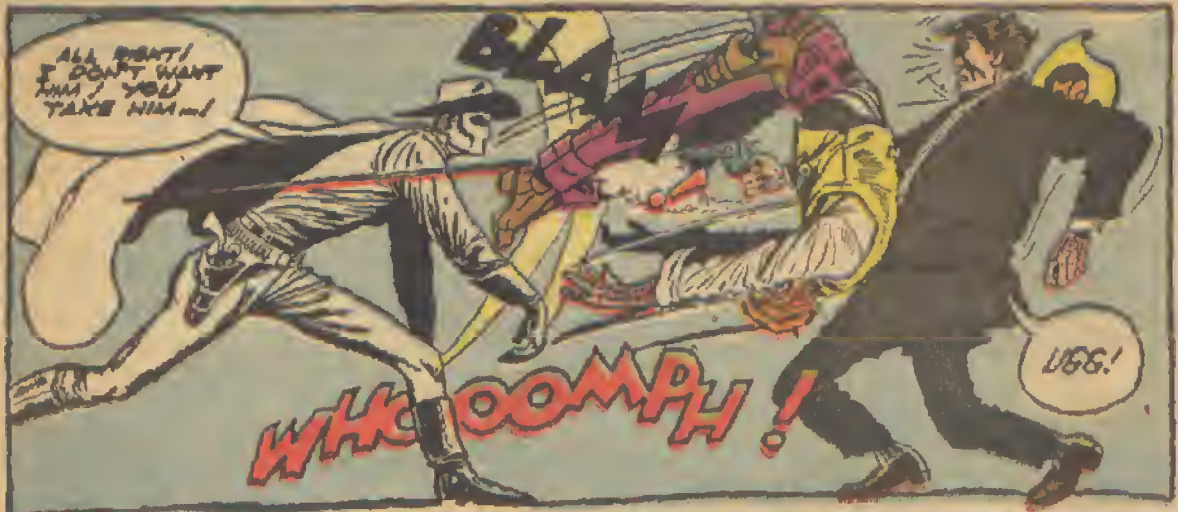


THE GHOST RIDER SWIRLS THE REVERSE SIDE OF HIS CAPE ABOUT HIM MAKING HIMSELF INVISIBLE AGAINST THE BLACKNESS OF THE CAVE





# THE GHOST RIDER



THE END







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ACROSS THE DESECRATED GRAVEYARD OF OVERTURNED TOMBSTONES AND VIOLATED COFFINS HE RIDES. HIS BODY GLOWS WITH THE EERIE, SICKLY LIGHT OF DEATH AND BEHIND HIM GALLOP THE FEAR-ORNEN INDIANS, WHO PERFORM HIS LOATH-SOME WORK AND NOT EVEN THE GHOST RIDER CAN BAR THE WAY OF —

" THE  
SPECTRAL  
WARRIOR!"

THUNDER RUMBLES ONT-  
OUSLY AND LIGHTNING  
STABS ACROSS THE WILD  
SKY —



FOR AN INSTANT, UTTER  
DARKNESS SWALLONS UP  
THE RAIN LASHED CEMETERY —

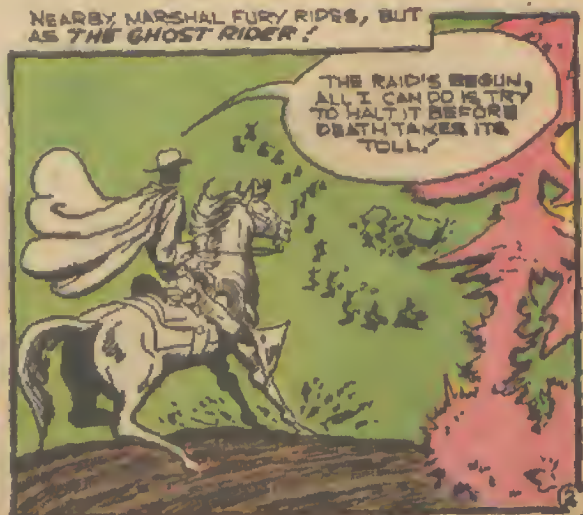


AND WHEN THE LIGHTNING FLASHES AGAIN, A  
SIGHT OF VILE HORROR MEETS THE TERRIFIED  
EYES OF THE WESTERNERS —



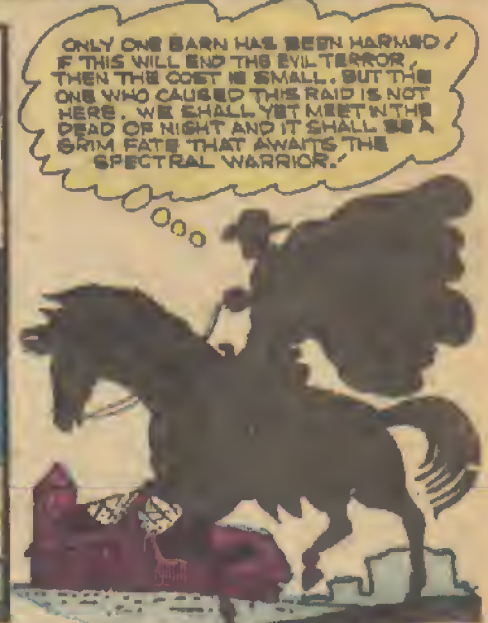
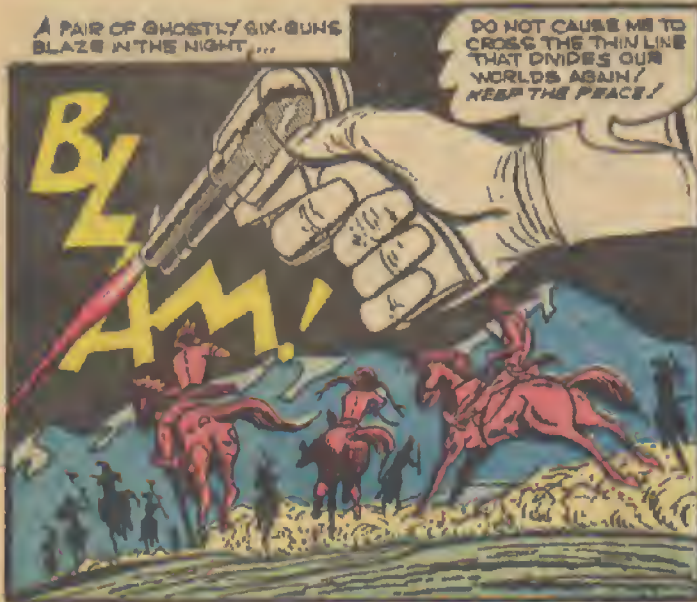


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SHOOT HIM!

FOOLS, YOU CANNOT KILL THE DEAD.



H-HE DOES NOT DIE!

MY MAGIC LANTERN HAS TRICKED THEM...

BLAM! BLAM!



NOR CAN YOU ESCAPE THE REACH OF THE RIDER FROM THE DARK REALMS!

THERE HE IS! RIDE DOWN ON HIM!



WITH A SUDDEN TWIST OF HIS CAPE, THE GHOST RIDER IS COMPLETELY HIDDEN IN BLACK...

HE IS GONE!

VANISHED INTO THE NIGHTAIR!



HE IS TOO MIGHTY, OH CHIEF!

THE SPECTRAL WARRIOR IS NOT HERE TO HELP US... FLEE!



THEY TURN, NOW TO CAPTURE ONE OF THE RAIDERS AND LEARN WHERE THE EVIL GLOWING ONE LIVES, WHO SENDS THEM OUT INTO THE NIGHT ON ERRANDS OF DEATH.



WITH STARTLING SPEED, THE GHOST RIDER SWOOPS DOWN ON THE RETREATING INDIANS AND PULLS THE LAST BRAVE FROM HIS MOUNT...

SPEAK! WHERE DWELLS THE SPECTRAL WARRIOR?

D-DO NOT ASK ME THAT! I AM SWORN TO SECRECY. I-TAKE ME WITH YOU TO THE BEYOND, BUT I WILL NOT SPEAK!



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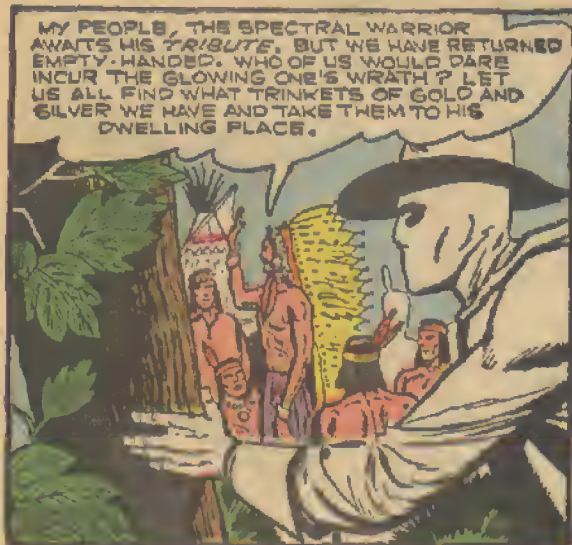


FOOL! DO YOU THINK HIM MORE POWERFUL THAN THE GHOST RIDER?

AGAIN, THE GHOST RIDER CLOAKS HIMSELF IN BLACK AND FOLLOWS THE BRAVES ...



THE SPECTRAL WARRIOR IS NOT HERE. PERHAPS IF I MOVE IN AND LISTEN TO THEIR CHIEF, I WILL LEARN WHERE THE VILE ONE HIDES.



MY PEOPLE, THE SPECTRAL WARRIOR AWAITS HIS TRIBUTE. BUT WE HAVE RETURNED EMPTY-HANDED. WHO OF US WOULD DARE INCUR THE GLOWING ONE'S WRATH? LET US ALL FIND WHAT TRINKETS OF GOLD AND SILVER WE HAVE AND TAKE THEM TO HIS DWELLING PLACE.

AND AS THE BRAVES MOVE OFF WITH THEIR TRIBUTE, AN UNSEEN PHANTOM FIGURE FOLLOWS ...



THEY RIDE FOR JAGGED HILL. SOON, I SHALL MEET THEIR TERRIBLE MASTER AND HE SHALL MEET HIS MASTER!

BEFORE A DARK, OMINOUS CAVE, THE WARRIORS STOP...



OH, GREAT ONE, WHO BRINGS LIGHT INTO THE NIGHT, FAVOR HIS PEOPLE AND ACCEPT THEIR TRIBUTE!

BUT NOT A SOUND COMES FROM THE CAVE; A FIRE IS KINDLED AND THE SHAMAN DANCES BEFORE THE ENTRANCE ...



MAY THE POWDER HAVE THE POWER TO DRAW FORTH THE GLOWING ONE FROM HIS REALM BEYOND OUR WORLD. LET HIM WHO SHINES IN THE BLACKNESS COME.

SUDDENLY, FROM THE CAVE, A GLOWING APPARITION OF TERROR BURSTS FORTH ...



HAI! THE SPECTRAL WARRIOR!

NOW TO UNMASK THE EVIL ONE WHO LIVES ON THE BLOODY TRIBUTE OF FRIGHTENED INDIANS.



# THE GHOST RIDER



THE  
GHOST  
RIDER!

I HAVE BEEN SENT BY  
THE SPIRITS OF THE  
DEAD TO MEET YOUR  
MASTER AND END HIS  
MOCKERY. HE IS  
NOT ONE OF US!

AS THE SPECTRAL WARRIOR SEIZES A RIFLE  
FROM A BRAVE, THE GHOST RIDER TWIRLS  
HIS CAPE, REVEALING HIS PAINTED IMAGE  
ON IT FOR A TARGET...



HE IS NO  
GHOST!  
WATCH!

DO YOU NEED MORE  
PROOF OF MY  
IMMUNITY TO  
DEATH?

BLAM!



W-WHERE  
IS HE?

VANISHED!



OF COURSE HE  
HAS GONE. HE  
FEARS ME AND  
KNOWS MY DEADLY  
POWERS. GIVE  
ME YOUR TRIBUTE—  
HE WILL NOT  
INTERRUPT US  
AGAIN.

THE FALSE ONE CAN  
GLOW FOR ONLY ONE  
REASON—HIS COSTUME  
IS MADE OF PHOSPHORESCENT  
MATERIAL, BUT I KNOW  
A WAY TO END THE  
GLOW.

WITH A FLIP OF HIS  
THICK CAPE, THE  
GHOST RIDER  
ENVELOPES THE  
SPECTRAL WARRIOR  
COMPLETELY IN  
BLACK...

... PASSES HIM  
CLOSE UNDER THE  
AIRTIGHT CLOAK  
AND HOLDS THE  
STRUGGLING FIGURE  
FOR A MINUTE OR  
MORE...

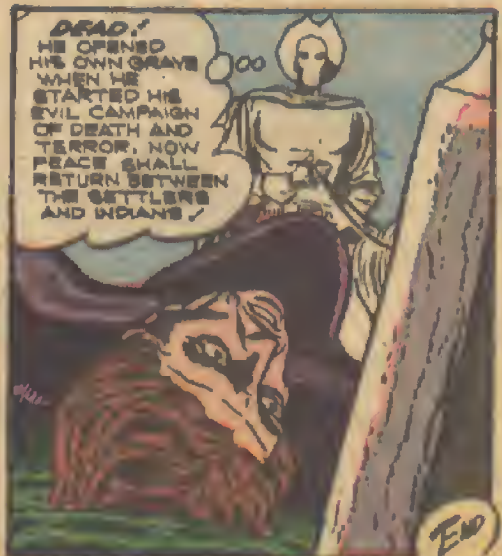
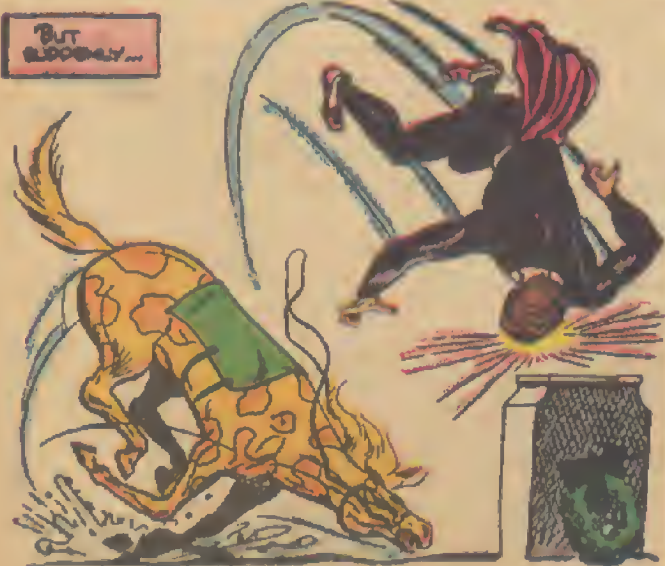
... THEN HE OPENS  
HIS CAPE...

... AND IN THE FIRELIGHT,  
THE BRAVES SEE THE  
DARK OUTLINE OF AN  
ORDINARY MAN...





# THE GHOST RIDER



END



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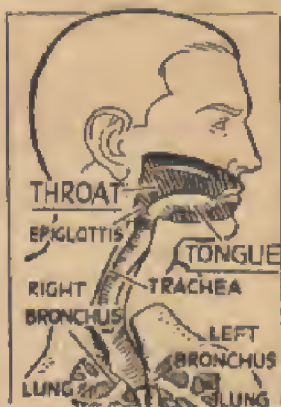
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